THE POMGRANATE.

NAMES.

A. [illegible]
G. Poia.
L. Punica Mala
I. *Pomogranato.*
G. Granate Apffel.
F. Granada.
S. Granadas.
D. Granaet Appel.

PARTS USED.

The Shell and Juice.

PREPAPATIONS.

A Syrup of the Juice.

PLACE.

Spain & Italy.

TIME.

September.

DESCRIPTION.

This Tree is not large, the Wood firm and Whitish, with a Brown Bark, that on the Young Shoots is greenish and runs sometimes to a Crimson. The Leaves 1, are of a Beautifull, bright, Shining, Green. The Empalement 2, is of a Colour between Red and Buff, Cut into six Deep Jags. The Flower 3, has six thin Rumpled Leaves, of a pale Scarlet, or colour of Red Lead. The Ovary 4, is of a light green, with a Style of the same, Surrounded with small pale red Chives having Summits 6, and Farina of a pale Yellow. The Fruit 7, is a hard shell of a brownish Clay Colour inclining to an Orange next the Sun it becomes Strongly red, between Orange and Blood. The Shell within is divided into partitions to which are fixed by Short Small Stalks a Great number of Acini as they are Call'd which are a Small Fruit, in some Red in others Purple fill'd with a pleasant Sweet, Acid or Vinous Juice, with one Seed 8, of a Yellowish Clay Colour like the Inside of the Rind.

VIRTUES.

The Rind is a very powerful Astringent and is used as such to stop Fluxes of Blood.

T. Sheldrake delin. *C.H. Hemerich Sculp.*

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